

BENEFITS MENU FOR EMPLOYERS AND EMPLOYEES

Subsidies

- 1. **Monthly commuter benefit** allowance of up to \$100 a month tax-free for public transit and vanpool use. Tax deductible to employer and tax-free to employee.
- 2. **Metrochek** -- an exchangeable farecard voucher accepted by Metro, Ride On, and over 80 transportation organizations regionwide.

Parking

- 3. **Preferred parking** for carpools and vanpools.
- 4. Other forms of **parking management** -- free/reduced rates for carpoolers.

Information/Planning

- 5. **Briefing/presentations** to management/employees.
- 6. Quarterly **on-site promotion** of Commuter Services.
- 7. **Enclosures** in New Employee Benefits Package, including coupon for free Ride On 20 trip ticket.
- 8. **Information clearing house**: post/circulate transit schedules and Commuting Solutions newsletter to employees and nearby shops; email.

Amenities

- 9. **Transit/pedestrian amenities**: sidewalk connections, shelters, benches.
- 10. **Biking amenities**: racks, lockers.

Alternative Work Schedules

- 11. **Telecommuting/telework**.
- 12. Flextime.
- 13. **Job sharing**.
- 14. Compressed work schedules.

Other Services

- 15. **Guaranteed Ride Home** -- alternative transportation users registered with Commuter Services are eligible for 4 free taxi or rental car rides home annually for personal emergencies or unscheduled overtime.
- 16. **Free carpool organizing**, matching and follow-up with CSS.
- 17. Bus route **customized mapping/directions**.

Start your Commuter Benefits plan today! Call Montgomery County Commuter Services at 301-770-POOL (7665)

